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PERTINENT AND PERSONAL.

News About Ashevilleans and of Strangers Within Our Gates.

Meeting of the Board of Aldermen to-night.

A. M. Sinclair, of Baltimore, is at the Grand Central.

W. H. Hoyt, of Stamford, Conn., is at the Swannanoa.

Miss Sophie Hansen, of New York, is at the Swannanoa.

Frank Merrick, of Dillshoro, is registered at the Glen Rock.

Dr. C. D. Smith, of Franklin, spent this morning in the city.

The Edison phonograph at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Decker, of Orange, N. J., are at Battery Park.

Henry L. Butler, of Washington, D. C., is at the Battery Park.

B. E. Belier, of Decatur, Ala., is autographed at the Swannanoa.

W. F. Tompkins, of Webster, is registered at the Grand Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice, of Salisbury, are registered at the Grand Central.

F. H. Southwick, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is stopping at the Battery Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ogden, of Westport, Conn., are at the Swannanoa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farrier, of Jersey City, N. J., are stopping at the Glen Rock.

Mrs. Arnold Petrie and Miss Petrie, of Little Falls, N. Y., are stopping at the Glen Rock.

R. O. Patterson is here from Washington for a few days. He is at the Grand Central.

Mrs. Elston and Miss Elston, of Crawfordsville, Ind., are quartered at the Glen Rock.

O. B. Wheeler, Jr., of Hackensack, and L. B. Carr, of Passaic, N. J., are registered at the Swannanoa.

Mrs. Chas. Hobbs and Miss Maude Hobbs, of Amsterdam, N. Y., have taken rooms at the Swannanoa.

Frank Osborne, a prominent legal light, of Charlotte, was in the city yesterday, the guest of David Vance.

The following Bostonians are at the Glen Rock: E. A. Alber and wife, E. O. Etch and wife and Miss L. Saunders.

Mr. Andersen stopped over in Greensboro for a short while on his way to attend the Y. M. C. A. State Convention.

A wealthy gentleman from Iowa has engaged board for himself and family at the Battery Park for the month of March, 1890.

The testimony in the Henry-Welch case was completed this morning and Mr. T. H. Cobb made the opening speech for the plaintiff.

The Pinion Detective Agency offers \$25 reward for the recovery of a diamond ring and breast-pin recently stolen in Asheville.

Willie Garland, aged 10 years, son of D. H. Garland, died at his father's home on Buttrick street last night at 9 o'clock of typhoid fever.

It is authoritatively stated that the Swannanoa and Battery Park hotels have refused over 1,200 applications for board since February 1st.

There will be a Sunday School Teacher's Bible Class at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. All ladies and gentlemen are invited.

Mrs. Dorcas Keith died at her home on Gable's creek, Madison county, Wednesday night. She was 50 years old, and had been sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. S. S. Lynch, the ex-Confederate veteran who has been in Philadelphia for the last five months under treatment, returned to this city yesterday. He is somewhat improved by his stay there.

Owing to the damp weather, an inferior grade of tobacco was exposed for sale at the warehouses to-day. The highest prices paid were at the Alliance—\$45 per hundred, and at the Farmers' \$38 per hundred.

Manager Mitchell of the Western Union office has had several complaints lately from parties who claim that the messenger boys have charged them 10 or 15 cents for delivering messages. Unless the charges are marked in ink on the envelope the boys are authorized to collect nothing.

Mr. Edison is Coming.

W. M. Worrell, agent of the United Edison Manufacturing Company, is in the city. He has nearly completed arrangements with the local electric light company by which they are to put in an Edison plant. Yesterday Mr. Worrell was in Charlotte and saw Mr. Edison, and the latter stated that he would surely visit Asheville as soon as his business would permit. His trip to the city will be merely one of pleasure, and he will spend some time here.

HE LIVES IN CHINA.

AND WHAT IS MORE HE IS DELIGHTED WITH IT.

After Ten Years in the Flowery Kingdom, Mr. O. V. Mordhaest Visits His Home in Germany—What He Says of China.

O. V. Mordhaest, of Tientsin, China, is spending a few days at Battery Park. Ten years ago the gentleman left his home in Hamburg, Germany, for the Celestial Kingdom. He entered into business, grew wealthy and last November returned for the first time to his old home in the Fatherland. Now he is on the return trip. He will leave Sunday morning for San Francisco, and on the 22nd he will sail for China on the Belgo.

Mr. Mordhaest is a fine appearing intelligent young man of perhaps 30 years of age. He is tall, of heavy build, and wears a blonde moustache. Although all of his life previous to his majority was spent in Germany, he is in love with the home of his adoption, and will be well pleased when he reaches that land again.

"It is a fine country," he said this morning. "The natives are clever and hospitable, and are willing to do what is right by a stranger. A man who has ability can make money fast. The society is excellent. A great many Americans and English live there now, and the fact that they are in a strange land tends to bind them more closely together."

Mr. Mordhaest has mastered the awful Chinese language, although he has not acquired the habit of dining on rice with the aid of chop sticks. However he can ride in a palanquin with all the native grace of a mandarin and is thoroughly in love with many of the customs of the country.

"The Chinese are crude in everything," he said. They oppose with earnestness any innovations on their time-tried methods and in this he has had some personal experience.

He is at the head of a railroad company who wish to run a road across the empire. From the first it was opposed by the native officials, and it was with a great deal of difficulty that his company explained to them the incalculable benefit such a road would be. They liked the old mode of traveling, and they wanted to stick to it. Finally they were induced to give a reluctant consent. That was last November, and lest they should reconsider their action Mr. Mordhaest got out of the country just as soon as possible to make the necessary purchases. It was for that reason he went first to Germany, and while there he spent the greater portion of \$500,000 for the purchase of locomotives and cars. Some of the money he spent in America, and work on the road had begun immediately upon his arrival in that country.

The home of Mr. Mordhaest is at Tientsin about eight miles from Peking, and he acquired the greater part of his wealth in dealing in native products. He is also an importing merchant and exports wool and straw braid for hats.

Asheville, with the exception of New York, is the only place in America where he has stopped, and he is thoroughly delighted with the city. He came here because some friends of his were in the city. The weather has kept him from seeing much of the city, and this he regrets, but the scenery he admits is quite as fine as any he has ever seen.

BOUND OVER TO COURT.

O. F. Hageman Has a Hearing Before Justice Summey Yesterday.

The preliminary examination of O. F. Hageman, who is charged with appropriating \$1,667 from the firm of Doran, Wright & Co., of New York, was held before Justice Summey last evening.

Mr. Hageman waived examination and was bound over to appear at the next term of the criminal court. The defendant was represented by Messrs. Carter and Craig, and Frank Osborne, of Charlotte, J. F. Gudger and Attorney Cobb appearing for the prosecution. Bond was fixed at \$1,000 and was furnished on cash.

Mr. A. H. Doran, of the firm, was present to look after the case and he feels sure of the conviction of the defendant.

Mr. Hageman represented the firm in Asheville. He was the local manager of the exchange rooms on Patton avenue and he has been for some time past. Lately it is claimed that he has represented to his employers that he has forwarded drafts to them which they never received and which they believe were never sent. In all the amount was \$1,667. Mr. Doran came on and had Mr. Hageman arrested. Immediately upon being served with a warrant yesterday, the defendant began a civil suit against his prosecutor for \$4,000. He gave bond in that sum for his appearance.

Mr. Hageman alleges that the firm of Doran, Wright & Co., represented to him that they were brokers on change in New York, while in fact they were only bucket shop dealers. This charge is substantiated by an article in the New York World under date of February 26. Under the head of "Bucket Shops Raided," the Doran, Wright & Co., firm is mentioned as one that escaped the strong arm of the law, the proprietors claiming that they did business only out of town.

Mr. Hageman charges that in all the firm have received from him \$8,000 and that \$4,000 of this was over and above the legitimate profits of the business. That was the amount, he claims, of the losses of local speculators, and also that as the firm is doing a bucket shop business, the money was not obtained legitimately and should be refunded.

Neither of the interested parties will talk of the suits and will say nothing until the trial in April.

The attorneys for the prosecution claim that the suit brought against their client is only for a blind.

A party of Chicagoans, composed of Mrs. R. S. Lyon, Mrs. S. R. Warner, Miss Warner, Mrs. H. W. Berg and Sidney Berg, are stopping at the Swannanoa.

THE CONCERT LAST NIGHT.

The Audience Delighted and the Library Treasury Enriched.

The concert at the Battery Park hotel last night was eminently a success, musically, socially and financially. The unpleasant weather doubtless prevented many in town from going, the larger part of the audience being composed of guests of the hotel, who by their presence showed their appreciation of the entertainment prepared for them and their interest in the library, of which many of them are patrons.

Of the instrumental selections too much commendation cannot be given. Miss Burmeister and her sister in last night's performance have only added to laurels already won in previous concerts by their brilliant execution and thorough mastery of their art. Miss Kincaid, who accompanied Miss Burmeister in Liszt's Rhapsodie Hongroise, displayed great skill. The male quartette composed of Messrs. W. Dwight Bissell, Herbert L. Price, Willis E. and Geo. R. Collins are too well-known here to need special mention. They won deserved applause and an encore by their second selection. Mr. Bissell was recalled after his solo and did even better than he had in his first selections.

The most enjoyable numbers on the program, particularly to those who had not had the pleasure of hearing them before, were the solos by Miss Myers and Mr. Bowen. Miss Myers has a voice of singular clearness and sweetness. She won everyone's attention and interest at once by her charming appearance and manner, and was enthusiastically applauded and recalled. Mr. Bowen has a bass voice of great depth and richness, and it was indeed a treat to listen to him. He received a richly deserved encore.

The receipts will enable the Library Association to make an addition at once to the shelves of the Library, so that its patrons will receive the benefit of it. Its value is daily increasing, not only to the subscribers, but to the public generally.

IT'S TOO MONOTONOUS.

And Hereafter They Will Get Thirty Days for It.

Jack Johnson and Dave Forney, two colored men, were before Mayor Blanton this morning charged with fighting. The pair fell out in Thomas Lane's house, and David used a knife on his antagonist. It did not cut deeper than the clothing and before he could try again, he was floored by a blow from a ginger ale bottle. His eye was profusely decorated in colors as he stood before the Mayor this morning.

When the evidence had been heard the knife artist was fined \$15 and Johnson will be free upon the payment of \$10.

Johnson took the stand in his own behalf, and in his testimony admitted that the quarrel began over a game of craps and the distribution of a bet.

"Were you playing for money?" asked Mayor Blanton.

"Yes sir," responded the prisoner.

"Then you were gambling," said his honor quietly.

"Oh, no sir. No sir," replied Johnson when he thought of the probable effect of his answer. "We weren't gambling, sir."

"Now," said the Mayor, "suppose you tell me the names of the participants in that little game."

The prisoner was cornered and reluctantly gave information of several parties who were present.

Mr. Blanton noted them and they will be arrested. Thomas Lane, the proprietor, was before the court some time ago and fined for keeping gambling rooms. It will no doubt go hard with him when he again gets in the prisoner's box.

The case of Andrew Anderson was called next. He was guilty of a misdemeanor and at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the court attempted to mete out justice to him. All of the principal witnesses were absent and it was postponed until this morning. At that hour the same difficulty presented itself. None of the witnesses were present.

"I will let this case go over until this afternoon," said his honor, "but hereafter when a witness is summoned and does not appear when the case is called, I shall order him locked up for thirty days. This is getting too monotonous."

HE DOES THE BEST HE CAN.

And a Visitor Gives Honor to Whom Honor is Due.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., March 12, 1890.

Editor Citizen:—I trust that a few lines from an observing stranger in your midst will be received with equally as much pleasure as though I had been with you long enough to give me the right to speak. I have been with you now for some time, and having been connected with a postoffice for several years, my attention has been, for that reason, perhaps, more particularly attracted towards the postoffice and its workings at this place since my arrival. I was pleasantly received by Postmaster Cannon a few days since when I called at the office, and although deeply engaged in his official duties he found time to show me through his neat and very well regulated apartments, and it was with a desire to give praise where it is due that I say the Asheville people have reason to be proud of their office. My business has caused me to travel quite extensively over the country, and I can truthfully say that this office will compare favorably with any of equal importance that I have ever had business with.

I was surprised to learn that the vast amount of business done is manipulated by only four clerks. The clerical force allowed the office is certainly not in keeping with the large amount of business to be done, and the immense quantity of mail handled—for it will be remembered that Asheville is a distributing point of no mean importance for other offices, star route lines, etc.

Postmaster Cannon informed me that by the first of July at the latest he hoped to have his clerical force enlarged, and then he would be enabled to meet all that the public could in any way ask. As it is at present, with his small force, he informs me that the money order and registered letter window is open the entire day during its hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. The stamp window he keeps open the entire day, from 9 a. m. until the arrival of the mail in the evening, from 7 a. m. until 4:50, and also from 7 a. m. until arrival of mail, due at 7:45 a. m., and after the distribution of mail in the evening. The general delivery is open from 7 a. m. until 7 p. m., only during the distribution of mails, and the

postmaster informed me that with larger clerical force he intended to keep both stamp and general delivery window open the entire day, from 7 a. m. until 7 p. m., and also, as at present, after the distribution of the Southern mail, which arrives usually at about 8 in the evening, long enough to accommodate parties waiting for mail from that direction.

VISITOR.

Meteorological Report

For the 24 hours ending at 9 p. m., March 13, 1890:

U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE STATION,
WYNAB SANITARIUM, ASHEVILLE, N. C.
LAT. 35.36 N. LONG. 82.26 W. ELEV. 2350 FT.

TEMPERATURE.
7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Max. Min. Daily Mean
58.8 61.0 55.4 66.8 54.2 58.15

RELATIVE HUMIDITY.
7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Daily Mean
72 68 91 77.00

ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY.
(In grains per cubic foot of air.)
7 a. m. 2 p. m. 9 p. m. Daily Mean
4.077 4.077 4.686 4.280

PRECIPITATION.
Rain and snow depth in inches.
0 0 0 Stationary

WIND.
Direction Force (scale 0 to 10) Fair
8 S 0 0

Ozone—Of possible amount, 45 per cent.

TEMPERATURE, March 13.
7 a. m. —48.0. 2 p. m. —42.5
KARL VON RUCK, M. D., Observer.

Markets by Wire.

Chicago, March 14.—The following is the range of leading futures to-day:
Highest. Lowest. Closing.

WHEAT—No. 2..... 79 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2
June..... 78 1/2 78 1/2 78 1/2
CORN—No. 2..... 28 1/2 28 1/2 28 1/2
April..... 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2
June..... 30 1/2 30 1/2 30 1/2
July..... 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2
August..... 31 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2

OATS—No. 2..... 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2
June..... 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2
July..... 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2

MEAL—No. 100..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
May..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
June..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
July..... 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2

LARD—No. 100..... 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
May..... 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
June..... 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
July..... 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

SHORT RIBS—No. 100..... 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2
May..... 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2
June..... 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2
July..... 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2

NEW YORK, March 14.—Cotton futures to-day ranged as follows:
Highest. Lowest. Closing.

March..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
April..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
May..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
June..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
July..... 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2

Oil—..... 90 1/2 90 1/2 90 1/2

Business Notices.

Twenty Per Cent. Off

All Japanese and Chinese goods for one week, beginning March 10. This is to reduce this stock. All the goods are choice and many of them were lately marked down. Remember there is 25 per cent. off all quadruple plated ware during March. A new line of decorated dinner sets just in. Call at Law's, 57, 59 and 61 South Main street.

Tate Spring, East Tennessee, Booming.

Situated ten miles from Morristown, a station on the E. T. Va. and Ga. Ry., about two hours' ride from Asheville. Has a splendid company of people and shipping water at the rate of over four thousand barrels per annum. Tate hotel has a view of seventeen miles of the Clinch Valley, scenery grand, elevation 1,400 feet, church, Masonic hall, academy, shops, stores, tannery, doctor and lawyer's office; a village of one hundred houses in sight. Hotel has all the modern advantages—telegraph, double daily mails. Write for pamphlet.

THOS. TOMLINSON,
Tate Spring, Grainger county, Tenn.
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The Mountain Park Hotel, Hot Springs, N. C.,

Is firstclass in every particular, with the best table in the South. Pure and abundant water and perfect sanitary arrangements.

The scenery is beautiful, climate much milder than Asheville, being no harsh winds and no dust to irritate weak throats and lungs.

The baths in marble pools are the finest in the world and the thermal waters are an unexcelled specific for rheumatism, gout, sciatica, nervous exhaustion and all diseases of skin and blood.

Excellent physicians reside at the hotel.

Trains leave Asheville for Hot Springs at 7:30 a. m., 4:36 and 7 p. m. Excursion tickets, including one day's board at Mountain Park hotel, \$4.50.

For rates etc., address
Adv. W. G. DOOLITTLE.

At W. D. Rowe's can be found the best grade of pure white marble from the smallest slab to the costliest monument.

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We offer ONE DOLLAR reward to any one who will show us a sack of poor ROLLER KING or ELECTRIC LIGHT FLOUR from our mills. Buy Asheville Milling Company's Flour and you are sure of getting the BEST.

Home Manufacturers.

Support Home Manufacturers by buying their goods. There is no better Flour made for the price than Electric Light Flour. Ask your grocer for it and take no other.

The Best on Earth.

What are you paying for your FLOUR? The Asheville Milling Co.'s ROLLER KING FLOUR, the best on earth can be had at most any grocer's at \$6 per barrel.

W. D. Rowe can furnish you anything in his line at very reasonable low figures for cash, and it will pay you to look through his spring stock.

New Advertisements To-Day.

FIRST PAGE.
Box MARCHE—Fancy Goods.

FOURTH PAGE.
WANTED—161 Bailey St.
\$1,000 TO LOAN—"T." Box 276.
THE VILLA—Table Boarders Wanted.
ROOM AND BOARD—No. 11 Hawesway Place.

\$1,000.

To loan, 2 years, good city property.

Apply by letter, describe property.
mar14 d31 "T." Box 276.

WANTED.

House to rent. Not less than five rooms, with kitchen and servants' room attached. Near street car line. Call at address.
mar14 d31 161 BAILEY ST.

ROOM AND BOARD

One room and board; Northern style cooking. NO. 100—Table Boarders Wanted.
mar14 d31

STORE FOR RENT.

The store occupied at present by Hostie Bros. & Wright is now for rent. Possession given April 24. Apply to
11 d31 MRS. C. L. PLAMANT.

TABLE BOARDERS WANTED.

A few young men can be accommodated with table board at THE VILLA, Haywood street. Also, three good rooms unoccupied.
mar14 d31

SPECIAL BARGAINS

— DURING THE —
MONTH OF MARCH

112-piece Dinner Sets, new decorations, at \$10.

56-piece Tea Sets, \$3.95.

10-piece Toilet Sets, \$3.65 and \$4.75.

Brown Bramble Dinner Ware at two-thirds price. For instance: an \$18 Dinner Set for \$12.

FINE TOILET SETS AT 50 CENTS TO CLOSE OUT.

All Silver Plated Hollow Ware at

25 Per Cent Discount.

I will duplicate all bills of Northern Houses for Crockery, Glass and Cutlery.

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